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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Boyer II et al.

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
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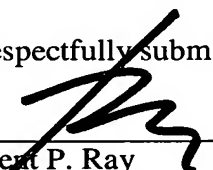
Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated 2/8/05 be extended for a period of 1 month(s) from 5/8/05 to and including 6/8/05.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$120.00 . Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: June 2, 2005


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